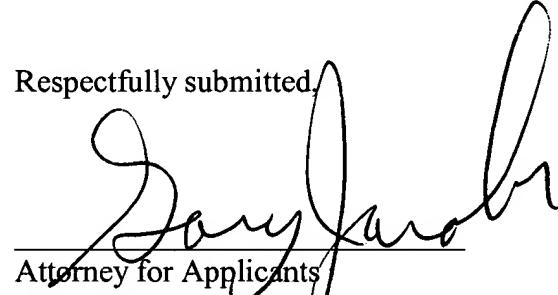


- °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- A check in the amount of \$00 enclosed.
- Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for a one month extension is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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In re Application of:)
MOTOMU FUKASAWA) : Examiner: Travis M. Reis
Application No.: 09/774,626) : Group Art Unit: 2859
Filed: February 1, 2001) :
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND
AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2004, for one month, from April 12, 2004 to May 12, 2004. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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Amendment

In response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2004, please amend the application as follows and please consider the following remarks.